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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	MS 4384 Ojibwa story by Marie Syrette of Nanabushu swallowed by the Sturgeon
Date:	1916
Identifier:	NAA.MS4384
Creator:	Jones, William, 1871-1909 (Collector) Syrette, Marie Michelson, Truman, 1879-1938 (Collector)
Extent:	14 Pages
Language:	In English and Anishinaabemowin.
Digital Content:	Digital Content: Ojibwa story by Marie Syrette of Nanabushu swallowed by the Sturgeon

Administrative Information

Other Archival Materials

See also Manuscript 4752 for additional Ojibwa stories collected by William Jones.

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Scope and Contents

Typed page proofs of "Nanabushu swallowed by the Sturgeon" in Anishinaabemowin (Ojibwa) with English translation. The story was collected by William Jones (1871-1909) from Marie Syrette (originally from Lake Nipigon) at Fort William, Ontario, sometime during 1903-1905. The texts were sent in 1916 to Truman Michelson, who was preparing the Ojibwa stories collected by Jones for publication the following year. According to Ives Goddard the dialect of the Ojibwa text is from the north shore region of Lake Superior (8/19/75).

Bibliography

Texts published in William Jones' "Ojibwa Texts," Publications of the American Ethnological Society, Volume VII, Parts I (editor Truman Michelson), 1917.

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Local Note

Title changed from "Nanabosho (Nanabushu) swallowed by the Sturgeon 1916" 6/10/2014.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Anishinaabe (Chippewa/Ojibwa)
- Chippewa/Ojibwa
- Indians of North America -- Northeast
- Language and languages -- Documentation
- Nanabosho
- Nanabush (Legendary character)
- Ojibwa language

Cultures:

- Anishinaabe (Chippewa/Ojibwa)
- Chippewa/Ojibwa

Types of Materials:

- Folklore
- Narratives